## Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Thomas H. Fulton

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#### Thomas H. Fulton

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: December 10, 1946 Education: Mississippi State 1967 BA; Columbia 1974 MA, 1976 MPhil; Tulane 1980 JD

Began Service: December 6, 2002 Term Expires: December 2016

Clerkships: Law Clerk, Mississippi Supreme Court

Government: Captain, United States Department of the Air Force

Legal Practice: Attorney, Humphreys, Dunlap, Wellford, Acuff & Stanton

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Areas Covered: Parishes of Assumption, Jefferson, Lafourche, Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard, St. Charles, St. James, St. John the Baptist, St. Tammany, Tangipahoa, Terrebonne and Washington

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Helen G. Berrigan Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1948 Education: Wisconsin 1969 BA; American U 1971 MA; LSU 1977 JD Began Service: March 1994 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Current Memberships:** New Orleans Chapter, Federal Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association; New Orleans Bar Association

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## Sarah S. Vance

Judge

Date of Birth: 1950 Education: LSU 1971 BA; Tulane 1978 JD Began Service: October 3, 1994 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

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#### Martin L. C. Feldman

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1934 Education: Tulane 1955 BA, 1957 JD Began Service: 1983

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**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable John Minor Wisdom, United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit (1957-1959)

Judicial: Member, Judicial Conference of the United States (2001-2004)

Legal Practice: Bronfin, Heller, Feldman, Steinberg & Berins (1959-1983)

Military Service: United States Army (1957-1963)

## Chambers of District Judge Martin L. C. Feldman continued

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## G. Thomas Porteous, Jr.

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1946 Education: LSU 1968 BA, 1971 JD Began Service: October 28, 1994 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton Political Affiliation: Democrat

Government: Special Counsel, Criminal Division, Department of Justice (1971-1973); Assistant District Attorney, Felony Complaint Division, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana (1973-1974); Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana (1976-1984); City Attorney, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana (1982-1984)

Judicial: Judge, Louisiana District Court, 24th Judicial District, Division A, Jefferson Parish (1984-1994)

**Legal Practice**: Private Practice (1973-1984)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Jefferson Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association

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## Eldon E. Fallon

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1939
Education: Tulane 1959 BA, 1962 JD;
Yale 1963 LLM
Began Service: June 26, 1995
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Affiliation: Adjunct Professor, Law School, Tulane University

Academic: Adjunct Professor, Law School, Tulane University (1975-1995); Adjunct Professor, Law School, Tulane University (2002-2003)

#### Chambers of District Judge Eldon E. Fallon continued

Legal Practice: Associate, Kierr & Gainsburgh (1962-1968); Partner, Gainsburgh, Benjamin, Fallon & David (1968-1995)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Board of Trial Advocates; American College of Trial Lawyers; The American Law Institute; Louisiana State Bar Association; New Orleans Bar Association

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#### Mary Ann Vial Lemmon

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1941 Education: Loyola U (New Orleans) 1964 JD

Began Service: July 26, 1996

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Instructor, Trial Advocacy Programs, Loyola Law School, Loyola Marymount University (1989); Louisiana State University (1994)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Harry T. Lemmon, Court of Appeal, Fourth Circuit, State of Louisiana (1975-1980); Law Clerk The Honorable Harry T. Lemmon, Supreme Court of Louisiana (1980-1981)

Judicial: Judge Pro Tempore, Louisiana District Court, 23rd Judicial District (1981-1982); Judge, Louisiana District Court, 29th Judicial District (1982-1996); Judge Pro Tempore, Louisiana Court of Appeal, First Circuit (1990)

Legal Practice: Vial and Lemmon (1964-1982)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Louisiana District Judges Association; Louisiana State Bar Association; Louisiana Bar Foundation, Louisiana State Bar Association; Louisiana Bar Foundation, Louisiana State Bar Association; 29th Judicial District Bar Association

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